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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant(s): N. ISHITSUKA ET AL
Serial No.: 10/600,771
Filed: June 23, 2003
For: SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE AND MANUFACTURING
METHOD OF THE SAME
Group: 2812
Examiner: H. TSAI

AMENDMENT

MS: AMENDMENTS
Commissioner For Patents
POB 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

July 23, 2004

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated March 23, 2004, the period of response for which extension of time is requested in the attached Petition for Extension of Time, please amend the above-identified application as listed below and as set forth on the following pages:

Amendments to the Claims; and

Remarks are included following the Amendment.